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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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SAFE AND EFFECTIVE BIOFILM INHIBITORY COMPOUNDS AND **HEALTH-RELATED USES THEREOF** Art Unit:

Examiner:

To be assigned

Docket No.: PHA-004.01

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Submitted herewith on Form PTO-1449 is a listing of documents known to Applicants and/or their attorney in compliance with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.56. Copies of the documents are also being submitted.

Since the Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the issuance of the first Office Action on the merits, no fee is required.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to initial the space adjacent to each document on

the PTO-1449 form and return a copy of the PTO-1449 form to confirm that these documents have been considered by the Examiner and made of record in this application.

Although we believe that no fees are due at this time in connection with this submission, the Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any deficiencies to/from our Deposit Account No. 06-1448. Two originally-executed copies of this form are being submitted.

Should there be any questions after reviewing this paper, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (617) 832-1272.

Respectfully submitted,

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